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1. All troops from the Douaumont Kaserne, Neustrelitz (N 54/U 54), left toward Fuerstenberg on 21 September 1950 taking about 300 trucks with them. Soldiers said that they would take part in a five-day maneuver. The tanks of the units had been sent by rail between 18 and 21 September 1950.

2. Eighty tanks from the former German 48th Inf Regt Kaserne were loaded at the Neustrelitz railroad station on 19 and 20 September 1950 and dispatched toward Fuerstenberg.

3. Troops with all their equipment, including 150 to 200 trucks, several tank trucks and field kitchens, left the former German 48th Inf Regt Kaserne on 21 September 1950. They left only a small guard detail.

4. A large column of troops with equipment, including 21 heavy mortars, left the other barracks installation of Neustrelitz on 21 September 1950. The installation appeared deserted after the departure of the troops.

5. The Soviet hospital in the former girls high school building was vacated on 20 September 1950. \*

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25X1 [REDACTED] Reports indicate that elements of the 9th Gds Tank Div from Neustrelitz started major field exercises in the area south of Zehdenik on 24 September 1950. [REDACTED] 25X1

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